

## House Resolution No. 3404

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives always welcome the opportunity to pause in their diverse daily endeavors in order to recognize those Show-Me State residents who admirably have dedicated their time and energy to national service through the holding of elective federal office; and

**Whereas**, Roy D. Blunt has attained considerable distinction as a legislator who represents the people and institutions of the 7th Congressional District in the state of Missouri; and

**Whereas**, a Trustee from 1985 to 1993 and the President from 1993 to 1996 of Southwest Baptist University, Congressman Roy Blunt is the recipient of an Honorary Doctorate in Civil Law and a Trustee Medallion from that educational institution; and

**Whereas**, prior to his election to the United States House of Representatives in 1997, Congressman Roy Blunt served as Greene County Clerk from 1973 to 1984 and as Missouri Secretary of State from 1985 to 1992; and

**Whereas**, in 2000 Congressman Roy Blunt received a James C. Kirkpatrick Excellence in Governance Award; and

**Whereas**, the beloved husband of Abigail, Congressman Roy Blunt is the loving father of Matt Blunt, Amy Blunt, and Andy Blunt; and

**Whereas**, it is fitting and proper that the Missouri House of Representatives should acknowledge the stellar accomplishments and leadership associated with the life and work of such exemplary citizens as Congressman Roy D. Blunt:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the long, productive, and ongoing political career of Congressman Roy Blunt and to convey to him this legislative body's most heartfelt commendation of the positive changes he has helped bring about in the state of Missouri and our sincerest best wishes for continued personal and professional success for many more years to come; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for presentation to Congressman Roy D. Blunt of the 7th Congressional District of the state of Missouri.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Mike Parson  
District No. 133

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,  
Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do  
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House  
Resolution No. 3404, adopted May 17, 2005.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker